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PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents PO Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicant filed a Notice of Appeal on September 27, 2004, thereby having a two-month shortened statutory due date for filing an Appeal Brief set to expire on November 27, 2004. An Appeal Brief is being filed concurrently herewith. Applicant hereby petitions the Commissioner for an extension of time into the second month after the response due date, i.e., until January 27, 2005.

A check for the appropriate fee set by 37 CFR §1.17 of <u>\$450.00</u> is attached hereto for this Petition.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge any Petition for Extension of Time fee for underpayment or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 19-3935.

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